

DEFINITIONS AND SPECIAL INSTRUCTIONS

REPORTING CALENDAR FOR 2004			
Month	Ending date		Month
January	January 31		July
February	February 28		August
March	April 3		September
April	May 1		October
May	May 29		November
June	July 3		December
			January 1, 2005

1. Scope of survey

This survey covers public warehouses holding cotton and raw linters.

2. Figures to be reported

Companies with more than one establishment holding the products covered by this survey are requested to complete a separate form for each location. If you have not received a separate report form for each of your establishments, please call the contact shown on the report form or write to the U.S. Census Bureau for additional forms.

Report stocks of cotton and raw linters in your possession at this establishment at the close of business of the day indicated regardless of the year or locality of growth. Your figures should include cotton and raw linters -

On hand for which you have issued warehouse receipts

On hand which are awaiting shipment

Going into storage for which warehouse receipts have not yet been issued

Held for the account of the Commodity Credit Corporation

but exclude cotton and raw linters -

In transit to or from your warehouse

Stocks of cotton and linters waste, motes, etc.

Units of measure

Report in the unit of measure specified for each item.

Convert foreign cotton to 500 pounds equivalent gross weight bales by dividing the total weight including baling materials by 500, or the net weight of the cotton excluding baling materials by 480.

3. Definitions

American upland cotton includes both rain grown and irrigated. Do not assume that all irrigated cotton is American-Pima.

4. Special inquiry for July 2004

A supplemental inquiry will be included with your July report. Use the above definition when completing this inquiry.

REFERENCE LIST

FORM **M313N**

COTTON AND RAW LINTERS IN PUBLIC STORAGE

Product code	Item code	Item description
Section I — COTTON AND LINTERS IN PUBLIC STORAGE AND AT COMPRESSES ON HAND AT THIS ESTABLISHMENT		
		Domestic raw cotton (running bales)
11192011	1322	American upland
11192014	1333	American-Pima, Sea Island, and Other
		Foreign cotton cleared by the Customs Bureau for consumption (500 lb. equivalent gross weight bales ¹)
11192024	2421	Upland
11192034	2521	Other than upland
		Foreign cotton awaiting opening of quota or held in Customs bonded warehouse (500 lb. equivalent gross weight bales ¹)
11192023	3523	Upland
11192038	4536	Other than upland
		Linters, raw (running bales)
31122301	5622	Domestic
31122303	5632	Foreign
XXX	9000	VERIFICATION TOTAL (Sum of all figures in column)
Section II — SPECIAL JULY 2003 INQUIRY (To be completed with your inventory report for July 31, 2004) <i>Report in running bales (if none enter "none" or "0")</i>		
		Cotton and raw linters shipped from your warehouse through July 31, 2004, which you estimate did not reach the destination by July 31.
XXX	9970	Cotton (bales)
XXX	9971	Linters (bales)
		Cotton and raw linters destroyed at this establishment August 1, 2003 through July 31, 2004. <i>(Do not include salvageable cotton sent to pickeries for reprocessing.)</i>
XXX	9980	Cotton (bales)
XXX	9981	Linters (bales)
XXX	9990	VERIFICATION TOTAL (Sum of codes 9970–9981)

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